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THEY'RE LOOKING THIS WAY.

Palatka is getting some very favorable mention, especially in the Jacksonville papers while the big fair crowds are there, by the energetic spirit of the citizens who stand back of the Chamber of Commerce, the Rotary and Kiwanis Clubs, and the Putnam high football team, to say nothing of the splendid showing made by Miss Floressa Sippell and Mr. Armstrong in handling Putnam county's exhibit at the fair where Miss Sippell's work made a clean sweep again.

This is the kind of work and endeavor that attracts people to a progressive community. They were talking Palatka everywhere in Jacksonville Thursday. Secretary Hart's idea of having big blue banners on the front of all cars asking "Why Palatka?" started the curiosity of pedestrians. No doubt many of them answered "Why not, these people seem to be pulling for their town?"

In yesterday morning's Times-Union there was a long story about the Palatka parade, in the news of awards at the State Fair Putnam county was prominent to the front, on the sporting page were a number of references to the football game to be played this afternoon between the Springfield eleven and the Putnam High school, and in any other section mention was made of the coming of the Palatka Kiwanis club yesterday.

In these things we are beginning to see what publicity, no matter in what form, amounts to and it is a reward for the efforts that are being made to make Palatka known during the Armistice day celebration.

BUYING THE OKLAHAWA.

The Palatka News says that movements were on foot in its town to finance the O. V. and that "an offer has been made for the property to such of those who might be in a position to dispose of it, with the consent of the court." This is mysterious and vague. Why should not the interested Palatkans attend the sale and buy the road. Surely the Gem City can raise the nineteen or twenty thousand dollars needed to defeat the cruel calculations of the blood-sucking bondholders.—Ocala Star.

The Star has gone far out of its way on more than one occasion to question the motives of those who wish to have the Oklawaha Valley railroad preserved as a going concern, and has consistently failed to advance a motive for its reiterations that the road should be put on the block. The Star knows, perhaps, that since it has been shown that the O. V., like many other roads, can be put on a paying basis that the bondholders are already moving to have the receiver dismissed so that they can take it over and stick the final knife in its weak back—to have it dismantled. The Star's oft repeated contention that the road should be made to pay its debts or be junked does not find agreement in the policy which the government has adopted toward all railroads. If it were not for the advances made by the government in times of stress, such as those through which the O. V. has passed, very few roads in the entire country would be left out of the bankruptcy courts. Unfortunately, the O. V. is one of the short lines that does not receive government aid to tide it over.

If the Star will just try to remember whenever it feels disposed to insert its keen scalpel of satire under our philanthropic epidermis we will repeat that we believe the operation of the road can be made to pay, and is paying, that it is a benefit and a necessity to the uninterrupted residence of a very large number of people living along the line, that—eventually, it will be of great service to Palatka and Ocala, and the territory it traverses.

Let us beat our swords into plowshares and our late allies into China. The regulars may get more plums but the nonconformists get more publicity.

Well, well, why shouldn't the cost

Foch Lays Corner Stone of American Temple of Arts

New York, Nov. 19.—The American Academy of Arts and Letters, the cornerstone of whose building was laid today by Marshal Foch, was styled by Professor William Milligan Sloane as "the nation's council of literature and art." Hamlin Garland, novelist and playwright, said it can be counted upon to support every movement for elevating American ideals of living, for preserving the beauties of nature and for upholding the permanent standards of art.

Marshal Foch appeared as the central figure at the dedication ceremonies after he had received the honorary degree of doctor of laws from Columbia University. He figured, not as a soldier, but as a delegate of the French Academy, founded nearly 300 years ago.

The laying of the corner stone today brought to fruition the dreams of a group of leaders of American art and letters who laid the foundations of the present academy in 1904 when they formed the National Institute of Arts and Letters. The present academy is chartered by the federal government.

The new building will be a part of the group at Broadway and 155th street which includes the buildings for the Hispanic, American Indian, Numismatic and Geographical Societies and the Spanish church. It will house a meeting room for the 50 members of the academy, library, exhibition room and executive offices. It will be distinctive in its architectural features.

Aguinaldo's House Stolen For Fuel

(By Associated Press.)
Manila, P. I., Nov. 18.—The house in which General Emilio Aguinaldo lived when he was captured by General Frederick Funston nearly twenty years ago has been virtually consumed for fuel by the inhabitants of Palanan, Isabela province only a few posts of the structure being left standing, according to a report of a local newspaper, to the director of education. The superintendent thinks the house should be of historical importance and suggests that steps be taken to preserve the site and what is left of the building.

of government be higher? We are getting more of it.

Let's see; the conference will be over in a few weeks, and the Senate should ratify its work by 1926.

Even the most disreputable lawyers hesitate to manufacture evidence in hootch cases.

There are fewer domestic storms in the home where there is an occasional squall.

Another fine thing about climbing to great heights is that the rents are lower on the top floor.

Time is money; and it may be that people who appear to be wasting it are merely saving it for their old age.

Hard times! A season during which manufacturers must sell to individuals instead of selling to the Government.

Once upon a time there was a garage man who fixed the thing that was wrong without getting something else out of whack.

As the years pass, it becomes increasingly difficult to tell an educated man from one who owns a book of quotations.

Permanent waves are all right in their way, but what the small boy wants is something in the nature of a permanent bath.

The man who says we should plant evergreens in celebration of the Disarmament Conference must think it is a conference.

One fine thing about fumed-oak furniture is that it doesn't show the turned spots where cigarettes are parked on the edge.

The laundries would have more fun if manufacturers would sew the superfluous buttons on shirt sleeves instead of coat sleeves.

A sufficient commentary on the manners of this age is that when a man is polite you suspect him of having something to sell you.

In a rural contest in Kentucky, the winner dressed a chicken in 183 seconds. But the metropolitan chicken won't wear seconds.

Exhibit of Papers Printed During War

(By Associated Press.)
Honolulu, T. H., Nov. 18.—An interesting incident of the Press Congress of the World which has just closed its sessions here was an exhibit of Spanish-American newspapers, comprising all the leading journals of Central and South America, Mexico and the Antilles, with an explanatory lecture by Dr. Virgilio Rodriguez Beteta, of Guatemala City, one of the vice-presidents of the Congress.

Nearly one thousand specimens were shown. The collection is the property of Dr. Peter Goldsmith, of the Columbia University, and is the result of five years' labor.

LAKE COMO NEWS.

Mr. Wright Palmer, of Pleasantville, N. Y., is again with us.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Palmer and infant son, of Troy, N. Y., are occupying their cottage for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Gates were motor visitors at Palatka.

Wm. H. Gable is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Gable.

Mr. Roberts had the misfortune to lose his fine horse—thought it was snake-bitten.

Miss Alice Kirkwood is attending school at Crescent City.

Wright Palmer, John Woolsey, W. S. Prior and C. C. Sullivan were visitors at Palatka.

Mrs. Wm. James has returned from a visit at Jacksonville.

The Ladies Aid Society has been cleaning the parsonage and getting it ready for the new pastor, who is expected this week.

Word was received of the death of Mr. T. N. Weaver at his home at Baltimore, Md. Mr. Weaver left here critically ill several months ago, but death relieved him of his suffering, Sunday, Nov. 13. He had bought a home here last winter and made many friends the short time he resided here. He was a kindly, lovable man, and everyone regrets his death. He leaves a wife and son, and grandchildren, who reside in Baltimore.

The Christian Endeavor Society held a business meeting at the residence of W. L. Gable.

The Christian Endeavors held a meeting at the M. E. church Sunday evening. Leader, Miss Alice Kirk-

JURY OF WOMEN QUICKLY RETURNS VERDICT GUILTY

composed of women returned a verdict of guilty today after deliberating forty-five minutes over a gambling case which had resulted in a mistrial when given to a male jury here yesterday. It was said to be the first time that a Florida jury had ever been made up wholly of women. They were selected after all men in the venire had been dismissed.

NEW RAILROAD WORKING RULES

(By Associated Press.)
Chicago, Nov. 18.—The United States Railroad Labor Board announced tonight that new working rules for the six shop crafts probably will be completed and issued in time to become effective December 1.

State Newspapers Meet Today
Miami, Nov. 18.—Owners, editors and managers of the newspapers of the state with their wives, will gather here Saturday for a meeting November 19-20 of the Associated Dailies of Florida.

PALATKA BOOSTERS MADE A GREAT HIT WITH JAX PARADES

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belongs to the class of the Dodo and the didelopus, whatever that may have been. Palatka descended on Jacksonville yesterday in force, headed by "Biddy" Shearouse and his band.

Scores of motor cars bearing snappy and to-the-point Palatka slogans flashed through the streets all day. One informed the world at large that "Every Street in Palatka Is Paved." That was just a sample, for all the good points of the metropolis of Putnam county were blazoned to the universe.

"Why Palatka." The burning question of the day seemed to be "Why Palatka." Signs to this effect were displayed on the wind shields of all the Putnam county cars in the city, and there appeared to be literal hundreds. They were to be seen on every corner and in every traffic crowd.

After letting Jacksonville in on the

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secret that Palatka is not only thoroughly alive but distinctly kicking and that the proverbial goose is hanging exceptionally high in that man's town, the hords descended on the fair grounds during the afternoon and cut loose with grand and lofty capers a hand concert and a regular jubilation.

Playing Band Music
Shearouse, whose chief delight is playing band music and making his corps of musicians work overtime, was there with the goods and he put up a program that made Joe Warren Berry, Jacksonville's own peerless band director, wonder if he hadn't better be looking to his laurels to assure their future safety. "Biddy's" brass blowers proved themselves regular musicians and the entire Palatka delegation showed themselves to be regular fellows. "We're here to make things hum," their spokesman declared, "to have a good time ourselves and to let Jacksonville know that it's old Palatka is right there with the goods. Say, mister, we've got the world faded down in

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And it is distinctly to your advantage to be guided by the message they lay before you—the advertisements.

Read Them Regularly

Palatka, and there isn't a town in folks. We like Jacksonville, and Florida but we will gladly give cards, gard it as our big sister. But and spades and then show up when it don't want Jacksonville to for comes to having a real town and real that Palatka is a husky young

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